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Parish Office Hours

Monday – Thursday: 8:30am – 4:00pm
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Parish Staff

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Parish Registration

Welcome new parishioners! Please contact the Office Administrator during office hours to register in the parish. When changing your address, phone number or email address, please notify the parish office to update your information.

Parish Picnic

Third Saturday of July at Basilica Picnic Grove, 3175 Centennial Road, Hanover

Bulletin Submissions

Email your proofread announcement as text (not scanned) by Tuesday 9:00am to Office Administrator.

Mass Schedule

Saturday: 5:30pm
Sunday: 7:30am & 10:00am
First Friday of the Month: 7:00pm
Weekdays & Holy Days: Check bulletin

Confession

Saturday: 4:00pm; First Friday of the Month: 6:00pm

Baptism of Children

Call the parish office to prepare.

Anointing of the Sick

Notify the office when a parishioner is hospitalized or homebound and wants to receive the Sacrament.

Marriage

The marriage preparation process takes at least nine months. Couples should meet with the pastor as soon as possible after getting engaged.

Christian Initiation

If you are interested in becoming a Catholic Christian, email us: ConewagoRCIA@gmail.com. Meetings are usually Mondays at 6:30pm.

Burial Plots

To purchase a burial plot, please call the Parish Office to arrange an appointment with Jean.

Catholic Education

Saint Teresa of Calcutta School: grades preK- 8
717-637-3135; 717-632-8715; Stck8school.org

Delone Catholic High School: grades 9-12
717-637-5969; DeloneCatholic.org

Fifth Sunday of Easter

Sunday May 3, 2026

Mass Intentions:

Saturday May 2 + St. Anthanasius +
5:30pm— People of the Parish
Sunday May 3+ Fifth Sunday of Easter +
7:30am— Ellen Lee
10:00am— Shirley Carbaugh

Monday May 4 +
12:15pm— Chris P. Noel
Tuesday May 5 +
No public Mass
Wednesday May 6+
8:30am— Gary & Keith Adams
6:30pm— May Procession and Crowning of Mary
Thursday May 7+
12:15pm— Marie Klunk
Friday May 8+
12:15pm — Kraig Smith

Saturday May 9 +
5:30pm— Samuel Smith
Sunday May 10 + Sixth Sunday of Easter +
7:30am— People of the Parish
10:00am— Gloria Groft

Altar Flowers

The flowers on Mary's altar have been designated by Elizabeth Adams in memory of Gary F. Adams.

May Altar Flowers

If you would like to designate flowers to Our Blessed Mother in honor or in memory of someone, there is a sign up sheet in back of the church in the Altar Flower Book. Please fill in name, address and phone number. You will be billed $35 from the florist.

For the Deceased

We pray for the repose of the soul of Mark Sneeringer who was buried here last week. Keep his family in your prayers as they mourn his loss.

May Devotions

Wednesday May 6 at 6:30pm the May Procession begins in the Parish hall, weather permitting. All are welcome to attend.

7:00pm every Sunday of May
All are invited to come and pray
in honor of our Blessed Mother Mary!

Parish Calendar

Saturday May 2
4:00pm Confessions
Sunday May 3
7:00pm May Devotions in church
Monday May 4
6:30pm Christian Initiation Class in convent
Tuesday May 5
Wednesday May 6
8:30am Mass
6:30pm CCD Classes in the school
6:30pm May Procession and Crowning– starts in Parish Hall
Thursday May 7
Note: there is a 12:15pm Mass today
6:30pm Anchor of Hope Grief Support Group in Convent
Friday May 8
Saturday May 9
4:00pm Confessions
Sunday May 10
7:00pm May Devotions in church

Ascension Thursday Masses

7:00pm on Wednesday May 13
8:30am on Thursday May 14
5:30pm on Thursday May 14

Weekly Collection

Sunday Offering	$8339.10
Capital Campaign	$100.00
Catholic Home Missions	$ 705.00

Diocesan Annual Campaign

Our goal for the 2026 Diocesan Annual Campaign is $74,205. We appreciate all of your generous support. Remember that all donations above and beyond our goal are returned to the parish unassessed. To date we have received $48,438. Make your DAC gift quickly and easily by scanning the QR code with your phone. Simply open the camera app and position the QR code within the yellow frame. Tap the yellow link to get to the donation page. This is a secure site and you can easily make your gift electronically. By giving online, you help save resources by reducing printing and postage costs, and the amount of paper that is generated.

To Restore True Charity Always from the Heart

Is this not the charism of Sacred Heart Parish?
May everything we do in this parish be inspired by this charism.

Harrisburg DCCW Annual Retreat

14th Annual Weekend Retreat, June 12-14, 2026
at Mount Saint Mary's University in Emmitsburg, MD.
Retreat master will be Rev. Matthew E. Cannon, Pastor, St. Paul the Apostle Parish in Annville, PA.
Theme: ***Mary's Yes: Trusting God in every Season of Life.***
Registration Deadline: May 23, 2026
Registration Options: Jeanne Warren, (717) -503-9429 or warrenjrs@gmail.com Or visit the Harrisburg Diocese website at www.harrisburgdiocesanccw.com and click on Retreat to access registration form online.

Unafraid: Out of the Upper Room – Young Adult Retreat

Come join other young adults, married or single, in their 20s and 30s from the Diocese of Harrisburg for an overnight weekend retreat. The retreat will include Mass, Confession, prayer, formation, small groups, fellowship, and fun, culminating with Pentecost Sunday! Check-in will start on Friday May 22 from 7:00-8:00pm and the retreat will conclude on Sunday May 24 around 12:00pm.

The Catholic Witness

Have you received your copy of *The Catholic Witness Magazine*? This new quarterly publication from the Diocese of Harrisburg is already reaching tens of thousands of homes—sharing powerful stories of faith, highlighting the good work happening in our parishes and schools, and offering inspiration for everyday Catholic living. If you haven't received your copy yet, we invite you to sign up today at the address below and be part of this growing community of readers.
https://hbgdiocese.formstack.com/forms/catholic_witness_magazine_sign_up

VOCATION MINISTRY

"Whoever believes in Me will also do the works that I do." (John 14:12) Jesus calls us to remain in Him, allowing His love to flow through our lives. In sacramental marriage, couples are like branches rooted in Christ, growing together and bearing fruit for His kingdom through love, support, and service to one another. Pray for guidance in nurturing your vocation and encourage others to recognize God's call.

TAKE COURAGE, STAND UP...

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MARK 10:49-50

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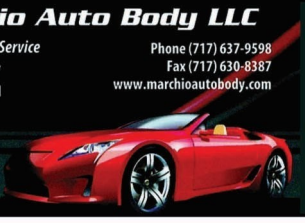

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